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Public Meeting to Review Fire Island National Seashore's Plans for Return of Fresnel Lens Cancelled Today

Patchogue, NY— Fire Island National Seashore's park superintendent, Mike Reynolds, has postponed a public meeting that was scheduled for Sunday, April 15, 2007 from 2 – 4 p.m. at the Fire Island Lighthouse. The meeting was scheduled provide an opportunity to discuss any issues associated with the Environmental Assessment/Assessment of Effect (EA/AoE) that coincides with Fire Island National Seashore's plans to return the original first order Fresnel lens to the Fire Island Light Station. The project entails the construction of exhibit space to protect, display and interpret an original artifact associated with the Fire Island Lighthouse. A 30- day period of public review period is open through April 30, 2007.

A new public meeting is expected to be announced on Monday.

For more information about the project, see:

www.nps.gov/fiis/parknews/upload/FINS_PressRelease07-06_FresnelLensPublicMeeting_3-27-2006.pdf

The document is available on Fire Island National Seashore's website at:

http://www.nps.gov/fiis/parkmgmt/upload/EA_FresnelLensBuilding_3-2007.pdf (866 KB file)

By April 30, 2007, comments on the project should be addressed to Superintendent Reynolds at Fire Island National Seashore Headquarters, 120 Laurel Street, Patchogue, NY 11772. You may also post comments electronically at <http://parkplanning.nps.gov>. Search through [Plans/Documents Open for Comment](#) for Fire Island National Seashore projects.

For more information about Fire Island National Seashore, visit the park's web site at www.nps.gov/fiis.

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